

Typhoon (TY) 25W (Sonamu*)

First Poor : None

First Fair : None

First TCFA : 0430Z 14 Sep 00

First Warning : 0600Z 14 Sep 00

Last Warning : 0000Z 18 Sep 00

Max Intensity : 75 kts, Gusts to 90 kts

Landfall : None

Total Warnings : 16

Remarks : None

* Name assigned by RSMC Tokyo

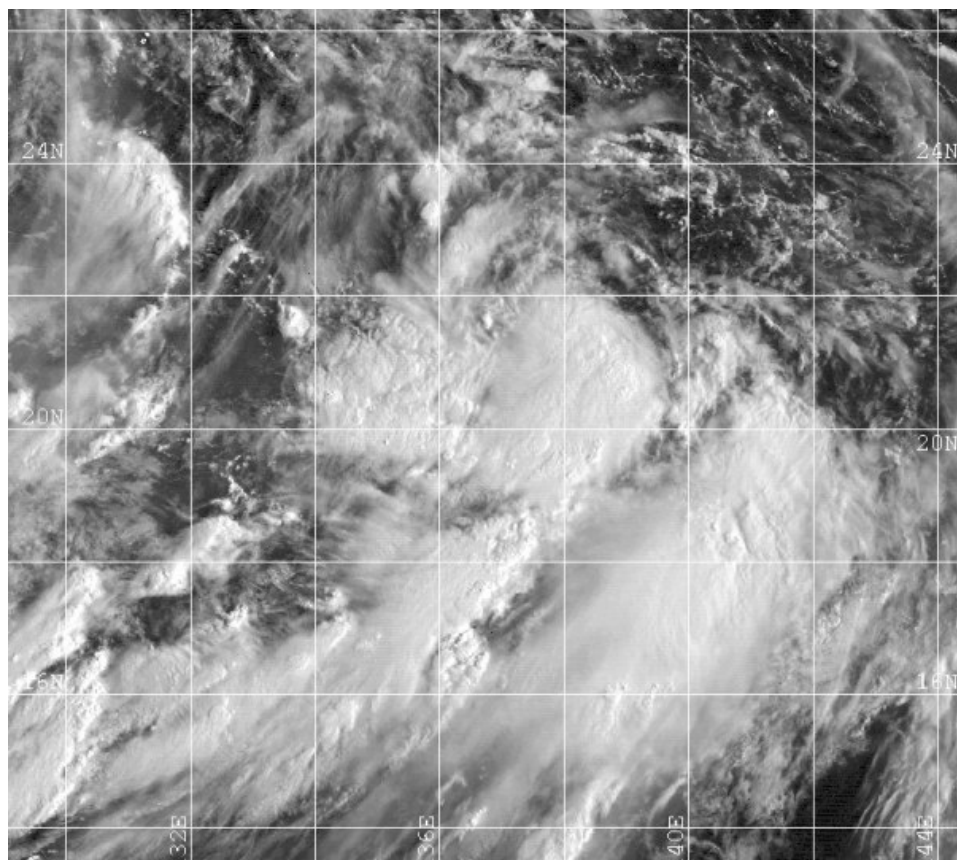


Figure 1-25W-1. 132224Z September 2000 GMS-5 visible image of the broad region of convection southwest of Iwo Jima which developed into TY 25W.

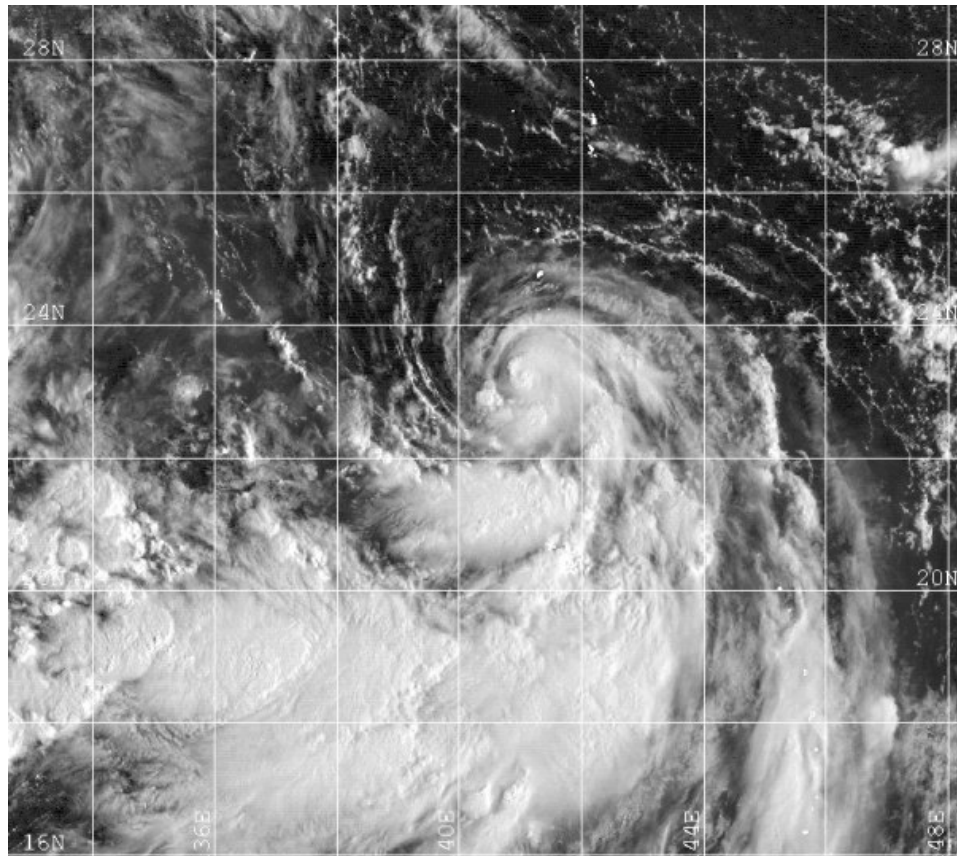


Figure 1-25W-2. 142224Z September 2000 GMS-5 visible image of TY 25W when the cyclone was located 120 nm southwest of Iwo Jima at tropical storm intensity.

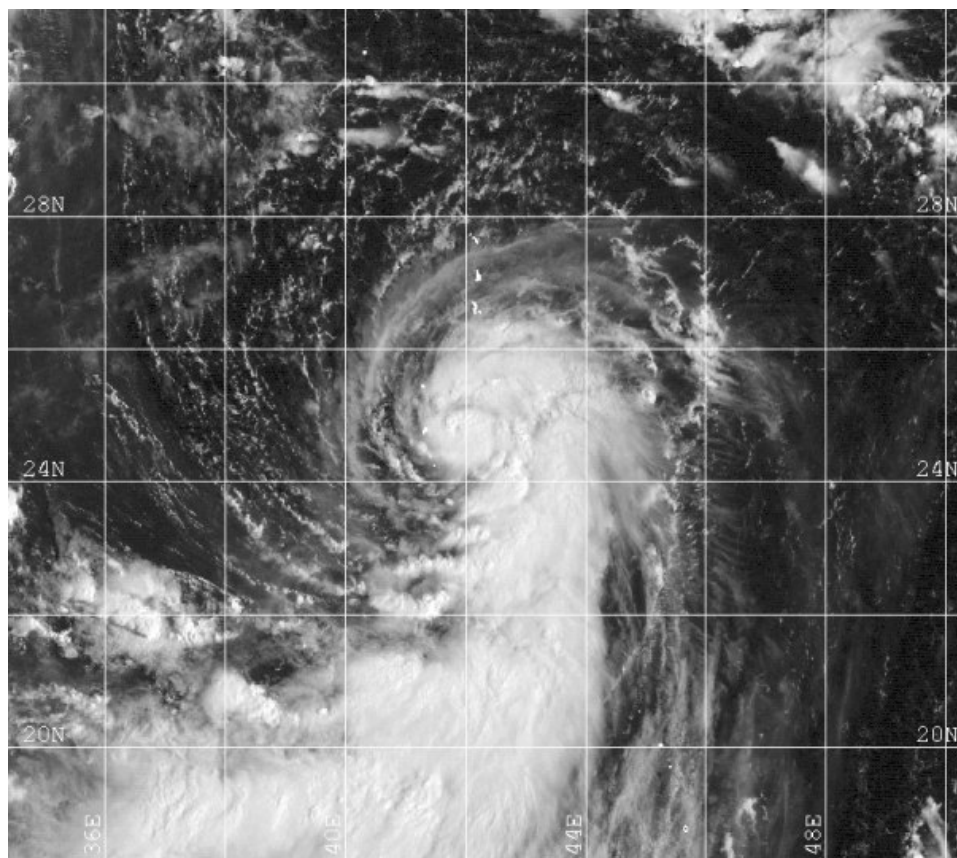


Figure 1-25W-3. 152301Z September 2000 GMS-5 visible image of TY 25W when the cyclone was located just southeast of Iwo Jima with a pinhole eye.

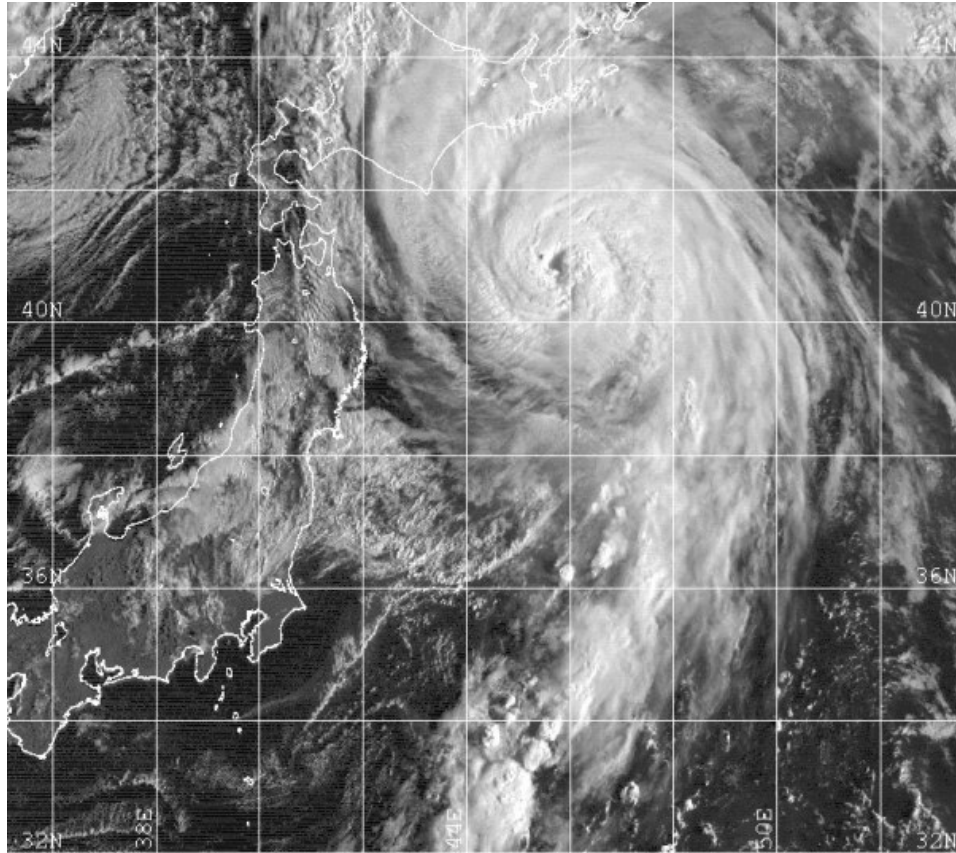


Figure 1-25W-4. 172131Z September 2000 GMS-5 visible image of TY 25W when the cyclone was located about 200 NM northeast of Misawa, Japan. Although an eye was evident, the low-level cloud pattern indicated that extratropical transition was beginning.

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